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**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ENGINEER TO PREPARE BID DOCUMENTS AND THE CLERK
TO ADVERTISE FOR THE OPENING OF BIDS FOR THE MORRIS AND PROSPECT
IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS**

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Transportation has allotted \$150,000.00 of FY2008 Municipal Aid funds for the Morris Street improvement project and \$180,000 of FY2009 for the Prospect Avenue improvement project; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Transportation requires that a contract for these improvements be awarded by July 31, 2009 for Morris Street and August 12, 2010 for Prospect Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body desires to have the street improvements, for the approximate cost of the New Jersey Department of Transportation funds, to be performed by a contractor; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the Borough Engineer to perform the necessary professional services to prepare the bid documents for the improvements; and

WHEREAS, once the bid documents have been prepared by the Engineer and accepted by the New Jersey Department of Transportation, the Borough Clerk must be authorized to advertise for and open bids for the project; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Merchantville, in the County of Camden, State of New Jersey, hereby authorize the Borough Engineer to prepare the bid documents and the Clerk to advertise and receive bids for this project.

Frank M. North, Mayor

Date

Attest:

Denise L. Brouse, Borough Clerk

Date

I certify the above to be a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Merchantville on _____.

Denise L. Brouse Borough Clerk

Date